

Thermally stabilized flip-chip mounted monolithic oscillators using CPW technology

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We have designed and fabricated a flip-chip mounted Ka-band monolithic oscillator using 0.15 μm gate InGaP-InGaAs HEMT device and incorporating CPW technology. We obtained a thermal stability of 1.8 ppm/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for the oscillation frequency. An asymmetric source feedback circuit topology was employed in order to optimize the feedback circuit and minimize chip area. We also demonstrate the thermal stability analysis to evaluate the contributions of the flip-chip micro-pillar thermal resistance.

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